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NOTIFICATIONS BY HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

TAMIL NADU STATE ELECTION COMMISSION, CHENNAI - 106.

No.VI(2)/22(b)/2024.

[ELECTIONS - ORDINARY ELECTIONS TO URBAN LOCAL BODIES - FEBRUARY 2022 - TIRUNELVELI DISTRICT - CONTESTED CANDIDATES - FAILED TO LODGE ACCOUNTS OF ELECTION EXPENSES - SHOW CAUSE NOTICES ISSUED - FAILED TO SUBMIT EXPLANATION AND ACCOUNTS - DISQUALIFICATION - ORDERED.]

(S.O.No.8/2024/TNSEC/ME-2, dated the 13th August 2024)

READ:

1. S.O. No. 20/2019, dated, the 18.10.2019 (Published in Tamil Nadu Government Extraordinary Gazette No. 407 VI(2)/98(a-1)/2019 dated 25.10.2019)
2. S.O. No. 18/2022, dated, the 03.02.2022 (Published in Tamil Nadu Government Extraordinary Gazette No. 93 VI(2)/18b/2022 dated 04.02.2022)
3. S.O. No. 5/2022, dated, the 26.01.2022 (Published in Tamil Nadu Government Extraordinary Gazette No. 69 VI(2)/13(b)/2022 dated 28.01.2022)
4. From the District Election Officer/District Collector, Tirunelveli District Lr. No. 7/8123/2022, dated 12.07.2023 and 08.01.2024
5. Show Cause Notice issued in Tamil Nadu State Election Commission Rc.No. 3645/2023ME2, dated 30.01.2023
6. This Commission's Lr. No. 3645/2023/ME2, dated 12.03.2024 & 17.04.2024
7. From the District Election Officer/District Collector, Tirunelveli District Lr. No. 7/1822166/24, dated 14.05.2024

Order:

WHEREAS, in the Notification issued with the Statutory Order second read above invoking sub-rule (3) of the rule 129 of the Tamil Nadu Urban Local Bodies Rules, 2023, the Commission directed that all the contesting candidates in the elections listed therein shall lodge a true copy of their accounts of election expenses kept by them or by their respective election agent under sub-rule (1) of rule 129 of the said Rules with the officers mentioned therein, within thirty days from the date of declaration of the result of the elections;

2. WHEREAS, in the Notification issued with the Statutory Order first read above, this Commission prescribed a format for the said purpose by invoking sub-rule (2) of the rule 129 of the said Rules;

3. WHEREAS, this Commission conducted ordinary elections to the urban local bodies during February 2022 as notified in the Statutory Order third read above;

4. WHEREAS, the District Election Officer/District Collector, Tirunelveli District, in his letter fourth read above reported that 279 candidates contested in the said Ordinary Elections for various offices failed to lodge copies of their account of election expenses as directed by this Commission;

5. WHEREAS, based on the report of the said District Election Officer / District Collector, Tirunelveli, a show cause notice was issued in the reference fifth read above to each of the contested candidate, who failed to lodge a true copy of the account of election expenses in the Ordinary Elections held during the month of February 2022, through the District Election Officer/District Collector, calling for explanation within 20 days of the receipt of the said notice, as to why action should not be taken against him / her as per sub-section 8 of section 12 of the Tamil Nadu Urban Local Bodies Act, 1998 (Tamil Nadu Act 9 of 1999).

6. WHEREAS, on receipt of Show Cause Notice, fifteen (15) candidates have submitted their accounts directly to the Commission and the same have been forwarded to the District Election Officer in the reference 6th cited and informed to send his remarks along with the reports of other candidates.

7. WHEREAS, the said District Election Officer/District Collector, in his report seventh read above, has now stated that out of the said 279 contested candidates, 264 contested candidates lodged their accounts of election expenses along with explanation, within the time prescribed, 03 candidate expired and the remaining 12 contested candidates have neither submitted their explanations nor lodged the account of election expenses inspite of the show cause notices issued to them; and

8. WHEREAS, in view of the said report of the District Election Officer/District Collector, Tamil Nadu State Election Commission is satisfied that 12 candidates listed in column (3) of the table annexed against the contested election mentioned in the corresponding entry in column (2) thereof, have failed to lodge their account of election expenses as required by or under the said Act and have no good reason or justification for the failure.

9. Now, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (8) of section 12 of the Tamil Urban Local Bodies Act, 1998 (Tamil Nadu Act 9 of 1999), the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission hereby declares that the candidates listed in column (3) of the table annexed against the contested election mentioned in the corresponding entry in column (2) thereof, shall be disqualified, for being elected as a Councillor for a period of three years from the date of this Order.

(By Order of the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission)

Chennai - 600 106,
16th August 2024.

K. BALASUBRAMANIAM,
Secretary,
Tamil Nadu State Election Commission.

TABLE
TIRUNELVELI DISTRICT

Sl No.	Election Contested	Name of the Candidate with Address
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 2	Tmt. Rehana Elizabeth. S, F/H Name: Thiru. Stephen Kani, No. 889 M6, 32nd Street, Rahmath Nagar, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli, Pincode: 627011
2	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 4	Tmt. Sounthariya. P F/H Name: Thiru Periasamy, No. 7/149, Ganapathyapuram, Thimmarajapuram, Keelanatham Post, Palayamkottai Taluk, Tirunelveli District, Pincode: 627353
3	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 8	Tmt. Prema. F/H Name: Davit, No. 1-79, Police Quarters, Santhinagar, Palayamkottai Taluk, Tirunelveli District, Pincode: 627002

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<i>(1)</i>	<i>(2)</i>	<i>(3)</i>
4	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 11	Tmt. Indra. B F/H Name: Thiru Balasubramanian, No.84, Devapiran Street, Murugankurichi, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu, Pincode: 627002
5	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 13	Thiru. Shriram. R F.Name: Ravindran, No. 7, Thilak Nagar, Madurai Road, Tirunelveli Taluk, Tirunelveli District, Pincode: 627001
6	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 14	Tmt. Kausalya. C F/H Name: S Naveen Natarajan, No.11, Ram Nagar, Thiagarayanagar, Maharajanagar Post, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli, Pincode: 627011
7	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 28	Thiru. Lenin. C F.Name: A.Chandra Sekaran, No.56, AP Mada Street, Town Tirunelveli., Pincode: 627006
8	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 31	Selvi. Mariammal A F/H Name: Arumugathevar, No.31 B, Pandithurai 2nd Street, Kulavanigarapuram, Palayamkottai Taluk. Tirunelveli, Pincode : 627002
9	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 41	Tmt. Ponmalar. F/H Name: G. Selvakumar, No.4, 2nd Street, KMA Nagar, Vasantham Nagar, Perumalpuram, Palayamkottai Taluk, Tirunelveli District, Pincode : 627007
10	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 42	Tmt. Freedat.S F/H Name: S Sam Beniamen, No.13, Karpaga Vinayagar Nagar, N.G.O. A Colony, Perumalpuram, Palayamkottai, Pincode: 627007.
11	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 52	Thiru .Sethuramalingam.V F.name: S Venkatesan, No.49/101, Bagavathar Street, Melakarungulam, Munneerpallam., Pincode: 627356
12	Tirunelveli Corporation Corporation Councillor Ward No. 54	Thiru. Shunmuga Anantha Kumar.B F. Name: S.Balasundaram, No.30/1B, Pillaiyar Kovil Street, Anaiyarkulam, Perumalpuram, Tirunelveli., Pincode: 627007

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